

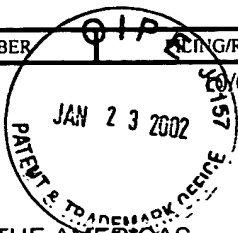


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NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Filing Date Granted

This application has been accorded an Application Number and Filing Date. The application, however, is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a)

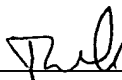
The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);
- This application does not contain a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). Applicant must provide such statement. If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000).
- A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37 C.F.R. 1.821(e). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" and a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

For questions regarding compliance to these requirements, please contact:

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REPLY TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Sir:

This is in reply to the November 13, 2001 Notice to File Missing Parts ("Notice"), a copy of which is enclosed herewith.

Applicant is filing this reply within two months from the date of the Notice – January 13, 2002 – and thus, no extension fee is due.

The enclosed Notice states that applicants must provide (1) substitute drawings in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.84, (2) a computer readable form ("CRF")

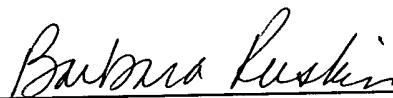
copy of the Sequence Listing, and (3) a statement as required by 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821 or 1.825.

In accordance with the Notice, applicants submit herewith substitute drawings in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.84, a CRF copy of the Sequence Listing in ASCII (DOS) text, a substitute paper copy of the Sequence Listing (with added SEQ ID NOS. 18 and 19), a Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(a) and (b) and a Statement in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825 that the contents of the paper and CRF copies of the Sequence Listing are the same and do not include new matter. Applicants request entry of the substitute Sequence Listing.

In view of the above, applicants believe that all of the requirements of the Notice have been met.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fee that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this reply is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing are the following:

- 1) Notice to File Corrected Application Papers;
- 2) A Reply to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers (in duplicate);
- 3) Substitute Drawings;
- 4) A Paper Copy of the Substitute Sequence Listing (149 pages);
- 5) A Computer Readable Form Copy of the Substitute Sequence Listing;

- 6) A Statement in Support of Amendments to Sequence Listing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(a) and in Support of Computer Readable Form Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(b);
- 7) A Statement to Support Filing and Submission in Accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825;
- 8) A Request for Corrected Filing Receipt (in duplicate); and
- 9) A Marked-up Copy of the Filing Receipt.

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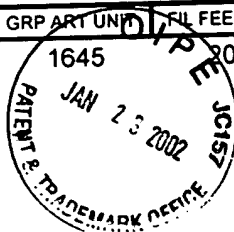


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